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THE NEXT QUESTION, PLEASE

By Dr. C. C. Warren
President of the Southern
Baptist Convention

It seems that when a man is elected president of the Southern Baptist Convention he is called upon to give his opinion about everything from sourkraut to atomic energy. Thus far I have been able to maintain a fair degree of silence, but one question is now being raised upon which I am led to venture an opinion, one man's opinion, of course, since from time immemorial no man would dare speak for Baptists unless he is specifically authorized to do so.

A considerable number of the brethren are asking "What is the meaning of these strange statements from certain editors and Christian leaders?" for example, "The drawing together of the church of Christ in the ecumenical movement". "The Baptist World Alliance President nor his church is typically Southern Baptists", "Is the Baptist World Alliance going to be used as a pressure group to bring the Southern Baptist Convention into the World Council of Churches."

My feeling is that the question raised in the foregoing statements has been answered

time and again by Southern Baptists. They answered it fifteen years ago at the Baltimore Convention when an invitation to membership into World Council of Churches was declined on the ground that "The churches cherish their independence and would disapprove of any attempted exercise of ecclesiastical authority over

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Home Board Elects C. G. Cole President

GLORIETA, N. M. (BN) C. G. Cole, Atlanta, Georgia, layman and businessman, was elected President of the 49 member board of the Home Mission Board in its semi-annual meeting at Glorieta Baptist Assembly.

Cole has been a member of the Board four and a half years. Rev. L. E. Smith, pastor of the

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Thirty Make Perfect Score At Training Union Assembly

A total of 30 decisions were recorded as a result of a most successful Baptist Training Union Assembly conducted last week at Camp Garaywa, it has been announced by Kermit King, state Training Union secretary who directed the program.

These decisions included commitments to vocational Christian service, dedications of life and one profession of faith.

Registration for this full week totaled 270 with several hundred visitors attending.

State finals were conducted in the Primary Story Time, Adult Miss on Story Feature and Junior Memory work drill. In the Junior event 140 district winners participated and 115 of these were state winners.

To be a state winner the participant must not make more than three mistakes. The memory passages included all memory verses in the quarterlies for October, 1954, through August, 1955.

Of the 115 state winners 35 made perfect grades. They are: Lee Jordan, James Anthony Arnold, Brenda Joyce Chapman, Beth Springer, Walker Wood, Jr., Ray Hawkins, Mattie Lou Rogers, Patsy Jean Taylor, Fred Lewis, Nancy Jean Thomas, Carol Ann Slatighter, Bob Griffith, Betsy Ross, Doris Sue Haver, Patsy Mathews, Sara Stringer, Elaine Bilbo, Pearl Wood, Jan Stephens, Sue Mott, Betty Brummett, Rhonda Payne, Glenda Moore, Lynn Houston, B. T. Strum, Sylvia Fenn, Dickey Fenn, Jerry Young, Dotty Harrell, Doris Cozart, Linda Strider, Leroy White, Jr., Rebecca Davis, Nell Rose Hedgepeth, Eleanor Ruth Foster.

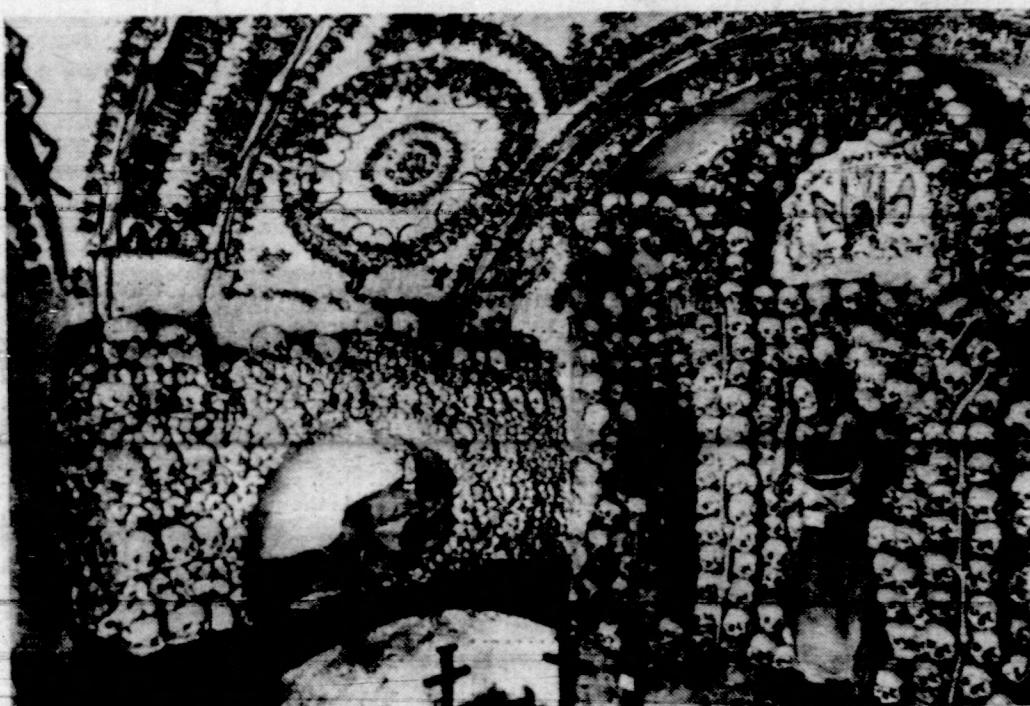
Ed Deas of Purvis and Betsy Roebuck of Aberdeen were elected King and Queen of the assembly after spirited balloting. The prince elected was Tommy Ross of Jackson with the princess selected being Becky Grantham of Hattiesburg.

Tillman Rodabough of Aberdeen was elected as Duke and Sandra Lovette of Meridian was chosen as Duchess.

In the annual Faculty-All Star softball game Friday afternoon the faculty beat the opponents 8-7 to even the series at 2-2.

Dr. Chester L. Quarles, state executive secretary-treasurer, was the speaker at the opening "travel" banquet on Monday night.

The morning watch speaker was Dr. Clyde Martin, pastor First Church, Senatobia. Song leader was Paul Adams, Minister (Continued on Page 2)



Shown above is a scene from one of the rooms in the church of the Cemeteries in Rome. People are buried in the basement of the church. After ten years the bones are dug up and used to decorate the church. All of the decorations shown in this picture are human bones. The decorating is done by the monks who are there for that purpose.

Touring Preachers Say Russian Baptists Free

MOSCOW — (BP) — The four United States Baptist ministers touring Russia said they have found Baptists in Russia are eager to hear the word of God preached.

"Of course they do not have religious freedom the way we know it, but they certainly have full freedom of worship," remarked Theodore F. Adams, pastor of First Baptist Church, Richmond, Va.

Adams is president of the Baptist World Alliance and one of the four ministers winding up a two-week tour of Russian Baptist churches after attending the Baptist World Congress in London, England.

The ministers preached almost nightly as they visited

Baptist churches in numbers of Russian cities. Even after a service lasting as long as three hours, they said their hearers were anxious to have more Bible preaching.

They were impressed by the "surprising number of young men and women in the churches." The sincerity of the Russian Baptists also impressed them.

The half-million Baptists in the Soviet also liked such favorites with American Baptists as hymns entitled "Work for the Night is Coming" and "God be with You Till We Meet Again."

Adams was due back in the United States Aug. 20.

Bethel Is Popular Name For Churches In North Carolina

THOMASVILLE, N. C. — (BP) — "Bethel" is a mighty popular name among Baptist people in North Carolina.

It's so popular that it heads all other names—not counting "First" — used by Baptist churches in the state, according to Charity and Children, publication of the state Baptist children's home here.

The paper found "Bethel" was used 33 times. Next most popular, in order, are "Oak Grove," 30 times; "Antioch" and "Calvary," each 25 times; and "Pleasant Grove" and "Mount Zion," each 21.

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It is comforting to remember that God's grace is no less than his power. — Lawanda Couch, missionary to Nigeria (Continued on Page 2)

The Next Question

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them". It was answered again at the 1947 meeting of the Baptist World Alliance in Copenhagen when a proposal that the Baptist World Alliance link itself with the World Council of Churches was ruled out of order on the grounds that "The Alliance is neither a legislative nor an administrative body and that it cannot act for its constituent bodies apart from the explicit provisions of its constitution".

Now let us pass on to THE NEXT QUESTION. There are areas in which we may and do gladly work with our brethren of other Baptist bodies and of other denominations. Seeking to express the desire of Southern Baptists, I proposed to the

American Baptists in their recent annual meeting at Atlantic City, that we work together in formulating a great five-year nation-wide program as a part of and culminating with the celebration of the sesqui-centennial of the Triennial Convention. This suggestion met with a most cordial and hearty response. Dr. Gezork said in

his recent message at the Baptist World Alliance, "The Baptist Church that does not believe in and practice Evangelism condemns itself to death." Can Southern Baptists? Can American Baptists? Can other Baptist bodies in the United States join in a great program of worthy goals to win America for Christ? Why not go on and answer this question in a way that will be pleasing to our Lord and for the extension of His Kingdom?

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Thirty Make . . .

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ter of Music, Fifteenth Avenue Church, Meridian.

The principal inspirational speaker was Dr. Dale Cowling, pastor Second Church, Little Rock, Arkansas while Dr. J. M. Price, head of School of Religious Education, Southwestern Seminary, was one of the conference leaders.

Julius Thompson of Morton was the speaker for the "devotions under the stars" each evening.

Assisting in conducting the assembly was the staff of the State Training Union Department. They are: Kermit King, state director; J. G. Pierce, Miss Louise Hill and Miss Neta Stewart, associates; Miss Samie Campbell office secretary.

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Among recent visitors in the Baptist Building were: Mrs. Ruel Trapler, Utica; Mrs. Eugene Strong, Utica; O. U. Rushing, Jackson; Rev. R. L. Lambright, New Orleans, Seminary; Rev. James E. Drane, Mathiston.

Port Gibson Church Has New Pastor

Rev. Paul Kirke

Rev. Paul Kirke assumed his duties as pastor of Port Gibson Church on August 14. He will occupy an apartment while a pastorage is being built. Mr. Kirke has pastored churches in Clark, Lauderdale, Newton, and

Jackson counties and De Ridder, La. He recently resigned First Church, Gautier after serving his second pastorate there.

The family found the pantry well filled and were entertained by the church at a tea on Sunday afternoon when the public welcomed them. Mrs. O. D. Youree, W. M. U. President and J. Mack Jones, deacon, received with the family.

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Not many, but a few people are wasting time and postage in writing anonymous letters to the Baptist Record. Recently we received two newspaper

clippings from Jackson, an unsigned letter from Amory, etc. For the benefit of all who are afraid to sign their names to communications may we make the statement that the Baptist Record does not give any consideration to any article that is unsigned. People whose motives are right should be willing to stand behind what they write or send. Those that are afraid to sign their names deserve and will get no consideration.

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Home Board . . .

(Continued from Page 1) Park Avenue Baptist Church in Atlanta, was elected to succeed Cole as Vice President.

Dr. Courts Redford, Executive Secretary-Treasurer, Home Mission Board, reported an increase of 89 missionaries since the beginning of 1955. He reported that there are now 11,000 enrolled in the Board's Correspondence Bible Course.

The Executive Secretary noted a \$44,000 increase in receipts during the first six months of the year. Gifts received through the 1955 Annie Armstrong Offering for Home Missions have reached \$1,209,596.13, or an increase of \$60,

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRAINING UNION ATTENDANCE

Edwards	90	34	Grace Memorial	232	62
Jackson,			Vicksburg, First	546	164
Southside	265	140	Union, First	466	203
Laurel, First	486	135	Newton, First	402	165
Hattiesburg,			Clarksdale, Oakhurst	498	143
Main Street	870	382	Picayune, First	568	147
Jackson:			Crowder	189	119
Alta Woods	591	264	Clarksdale	390	127
Jackson, Crestwood	632	439	Purvis, First	242	70
Jackson, Calvary	1448	439	Laurel, Highland	285	169
Main Church	1391	413	Soso, First	140	97
Mission	57	26	Lake, First	216	54
Pocahontas	57		Murphy Creek		
Richland (Rankin)	241	110	(Winston)	183	131
Byram (Hinds)	226	196	Ripley, First	309	111
Flowood	89	67	Biloxi, East Howard	217	120
Pilgrim's Rest			Friendship (Jackson)	94	89
(Copiah)	85	71	Corinth, Tate St.	245	92
Jackson, West	333	138	Cleveland, First	397	84
Jackson,			Meridian, Poplar		
Daniel Memorial	746	330	Springs Drive	411	154
Jackson, Hillcrest	216	125	Meridian, Eastview	163	96
Jackson, Van Winkle	685	351	Lucedale	422	134
Jackson, Broadmoor	449	196	Amity (Chickasaw)	56	68
Jackson, Ridgecrest	343	129	New Hope (Marion)	227	179
Pearl (Rankin)	190	130	McComb, Locust St.	114	67
Grenada, First	748	199	Brookhaven, Central	111	67
Pleasant Hill			Brookhaven, First	799	237
(Lincoln)	144	97	Main	697	185
Morton	260	88	Southway	77	32
Grenada,			Halbert Heights	25	20
Emmanuel	254	100	Brookhaven,		
Cross Roads			Hamilton St.	124	66
(Rankin)	51	43	Tupelo, Harrisburg	567	211
Bluff Springs (Pike)	76	78	Seminary Union, Sr.	124	75
Marks, First	244	85	Calhoun City, First	366	468
Brookhaven,			Columbia, First	693	238
Pearlhaven	166	60	Main School	618	204
Bethlehem (Jones)	162	130	South Columbia	75	34
New Sight (Lincoln)	107	47	—BR—		
Petal-Harvey	370	141	Fellowship Church, Chickasaw county, will have revival services the week of August 28th. Rev. J. E. Rogers, Pleasant Ridge pastor, will be the evangelist. Rev. James Hollingsworth is the pastor.		
Main School	328	129			
Harvey	26				
Richton Road	16	12			
Fair River (Lincoln)	115	76			
Bay St. Louis	130	40			
Bethel (Rankin)	45	35			
Ruth	61	45			
Pascagoula, Eastlawn	212	125			
Charleston, First	400	120			
Longview (Oktibbeha)	73	63			
Concord (Choctaw)	112	100			
Hernando	185	86			
Crystal Springs, First	609	202			
Clinton	375	148			
Jackson, Highland	86	64			
Pascagoula, First	797	278			
Main School	625	198			
McArthur Chapel	83	24			
Orange Grove					
Chapel	89	56			
Glenfield (Union Co.)	139	119			
Brownsville, Beulah	68	55			
Cleveland, Immanuel	189	133			
MT. Pleasant (Holmes)	75	75			
New Albany, First	695	155			
Main School	633	155			
North Side Mission	62	43			
Olive Branch	182	83			
New Prospect					
(Desoto)	102	91			
West Point, Calvary	214	118			
Greenwood, North	298	82			
Bethlehem (Choctaw)	26	25			
Kosciusko, First	694	224			
Main School	677				
Maple Mission	17				
Starkville, First	583	390			
Red Banks (Marshall)	57	32			
Wayside (Yalobusha)	61	51			
Calvary (Alcorn)	85	84			
Gulfport,					

000 over the same period last year.

A group of 24 sermons concerning the Old Testament tabernacle has been prepared by Dr. M. R. DeHaan. Following the book of Exodus, Dr. DeHaan points to New Testament revelation of the prophecies made. The book is entitled THE TABERNACLE and should be ordered from Zondervan Publishing House, Grand Rapids, Michigan or from the Baptist Book Store. Price \$2.50.

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God has blessed the United States with wealth for a purpose — and it's not for luxury! — R. Keith Parks, missionary to Indonesia.

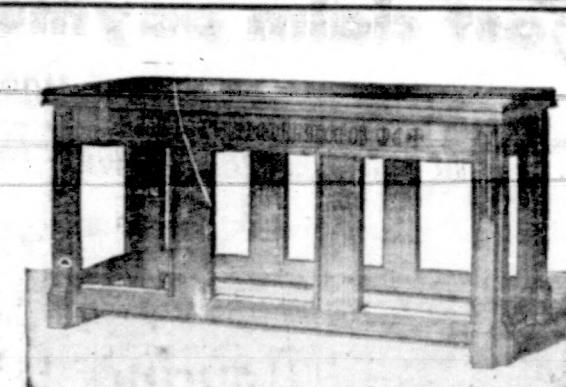
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Baptist Movie Theme May Be On 'Freedom'

By the Baptist Press

The proposed new Baptist film may be on the subject of religious freedom rather than on the life of some particular, outstanding Baptist personality.

Groups of Baptists from four national organizations held an unofficial conference in London, England, recently and agreed generally the freedom idea is the most desirable.

Those at the conference also discussed ways in which they could co-operate in producing the film, according to Louie D. Newton, Atlanta, Ga., minister who is chairman of the Southern Baptist film committee.

The proposed motion picture would be separate and distinct from Baptist films already in process.

Southern Baptists on the film committee solicited suggestions from other Baptist organizations and sponsored the London conference for this purpose.

Newton reported the Southern Baptist film committee is waiting now for the three other Baptist bodies to indicate future steps they want to take in producing the film.

Seek Capable Writers

Newton said he has been seeking people capable of writing the script for the motion picture, as those at the London conference requested him to do.

The conference believed that if the theme were built around religious liberty, the actions of many well-known Baptist figures could be depicted on film. Represented at the conference were the American Baptist Convention, Canadian Baptists, Baptist Union of Britain and Ireland, and Southern Baptists.

Before the conference in London, the foremost idea had been to build the picture around a major Baptist personality.

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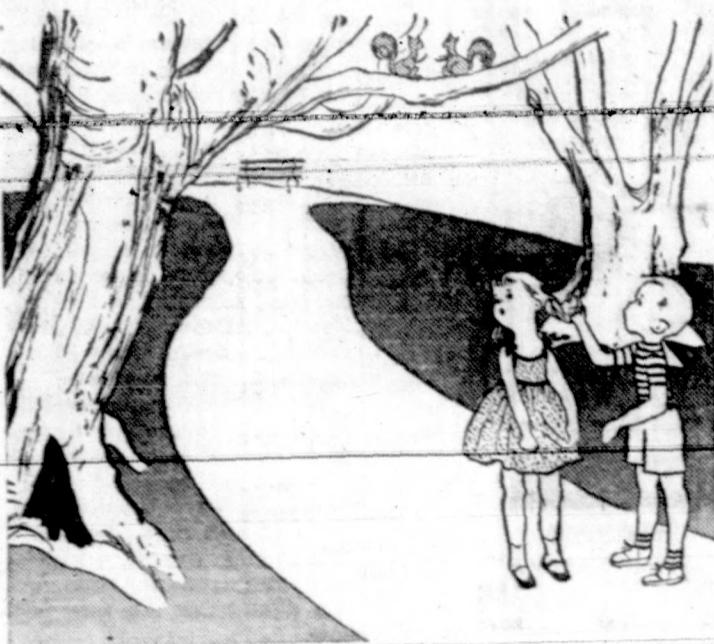
The Bulletin of the Southside Church, Jackson, quotes a pastor as saying, after a member had refused to accept a place of service in the church with the excuse that "I don't want to be tied down" as follows: "I don't want to be tied down" means, "Let someone else do it. I don't care whether it is done or not." It means, "Let the fires of sin burn, I'm going to fiddle." It means, "There are other members who do not have the standing in the community that I do, let them do it." Carried to its logical conclusion, it will mean that there will be no Sunday School teachers, no functioning deacons, no choir, no Training Union, no ushers, no congregation, no church, simply because "I don't want to be tied down."

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Children's Page

The Wise Squirrels



By JULIA W. WOLFE

Under a great big tree there lived a family of squirrels. All through the lovely summer days they climbed the trees, and ran gayly along the branches, and raced up and down.

One day, when the little family was running off through the fields, two children came through the woods, and saw a curious-looking hole under a tree. Jamie poked a stick into the hole, and found that it contained quantities of nuts. It was the very store that the squirrels had all worked hard to gather for their food during the coming winter.

She said, "The nuts must be put back just where they were found or the squirrels will go hungry all winter."

Jamie and Janie wanted to keep the nuts, but after thinking how they would not like to go hungry themselves, they

took the nuts back. The squirrels were watching and saw all of their treasures go into the hole in the ground out of sight. And just as soon as Jamie and Janie were out of sight, down from the big tree scrambled the squirrels. After a lot of chattering among themselves, the old squirrels scratched every nut out of that hole, and then they each took a nut and carried them off a long, long way, and buried them under a ledge under a hill.

How hard they worked, and how tired they grew! But they did not stop until every nut was stored away safe in the new storehouse.

Jamie and Janie handed the basket to their mother when they reached home, and thought

she would be pleased with their find; but she did not even smile; she said she was sorry they had done such a thing. "Don't you know, my children, that the squirrels gather these nuts for their winter's food? Don't you know the squirrels have

had much work to get all of these nuts together?"

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EXECUTIVE SECRETARY- TREASURER'S REPORT

Of The Contributions Made By The Churches Of The
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Alcorn Association				Kosciusko				Pace	87.30	161.65	248.95	Victory	15.00		15.00		
Antioch No. 1				Second	125.00	244.42	369.42	Providence	48.05	34.73	82.78	Willis Hicks		33.50	33.50		
Antioch				McAdams	210.00	442.60	652.60	Rosedale	603.99	1038.67	1642.66	Total	10862.11	5679.77	16541.88		
No. 2	44.62		44.62	McCool	402.53	183.81	586.34	Mission	10.00	11.00	21.00	Carroll Association			9.00		
Bethlehem	110.00	20.00	130.00	New Hope		12.50	12.50	Shaw	774.84	1005.80	1780.64	Carrolton	144.15		296.20	440.35	
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Calvary	443.00		443.00	North Union	60.00	13.00	73.00	Skene	751.32	358.50	1109.82	Coila		50.00	50.00		
Corinth				Pilgrim Rest	11.30		11.30	Sunny Side	15.00	28.36	43.36	Harmony					
First	2619.83	2219.07	4838.90	Pleasant				Wabash	50.00	83.77	133.77	Hickory Grove					
Corinth-South	84.75	49.05	133.80	Ridge	15.00	7.00	22.00	Yale St.	18.22	18.22	18.22	Leflore					
Corinth-				Providence				Niland				Liberty	41.00	75.00	116.00		
				Sallis	421.83	349.05	571.78	Pace				McCarley	50.00	350.70	400.70		
				Tate St.	1491.74	267.90	1759.64	Providence				Mt. Olive	35.51	52.01	87.52		
				Sand Hill		13.00	15.00	Springdale	138.95	215.45	354.40	Mt. Pisgah	99.75	95.99	195.74		
				Unity		40.00	40.00	Williams-				New Bethel	3.28	45.00	48.28		
				ville	212.50	243.98	456.48	Yokanook-				New					
				any	112.50	103.53	216.03	Calhoun				Jerusalem	7.50	28.35	35.85		
				Zama	82.25	25.00	107.25	Assoc.	10.62			New Salem	8.00	16.00	24.00		
				Total	14056.40	5416.23	19502.63	Antioch-Cal	71.69	15.00	86.69	New Shiloh	35.00	10.00	45.00		
								Antioch-Laf				North Carrollton	389.15	440.03	829.18		
								Banner	172.21	126.11	298.32	Old Plank	15.00	5.00	20.00		
								Benela				Old Shiloh					
								Bentley				Poplar Sprgs.	7.50	10.00	17.50		
								Bethany-Slate				Providence		6.00	6.00		
								Bluff Springs	65.25	65.25		Vaiden	509.54	312.08	821.62		
								Canaan	6.04	6.04		Total	1345.38	1801.36	3146.74		
								Country	9.44	9.44		Chickasaw					
								Flat Rock				Assoc.	2.20		2.20		
								Hamilton				Amity	125.82	27.50	153.32		
								Hickory				Arbor					
								Flat	316.60	211.42	528.02	Grove	117.18	45.50	162.68		
								Lamra				Bethel	40.00	169.75	209.75		
								Lonoke				Egypt	300.00	267.25	567.25		
								New Central				Houlika	360.00	142.08	502.08		
								New Hope	12.00			Housoton	2241.96	734.98	2976.94		
								Pine Grove	141.71			McCondy	18.10	36.11	54.21		
								Pleasant				Mt. Olive	13.03	48.36	61.39		
								Hill				New Parkersburg					
								Calhoun City				Prospect	25.00		25.00		
								First	6121.53	2018.37	8139.90	Okolona	1963.50	900.40	2863.90		
								Calvary	5.87	5.87	11.74	Pleasant	25.00	20.00	45.00		
								College				Ridge	284.13		284.13		
								Hill	100.00	20.00	120.00	Schoner Valley					
								Concord	16.00		16.00	Shiloh	70.00	29.32	99.32		
								Derma	39.51	215.91	255.42	Union	10.35		10.35		
								Drivers Flat	6.30	2.00	8.30	Chapel	216.05	194.52	410.57		
								Duncan Hill	49.66	75.98	125.64	Van Vleet	167.22	31.32	198.54		
								Ellard	202.82	73.83	276.65	Woodland	36.00	38.15	74.15		
								Gaston				Total	6015.54	2685.24	8700.78		
								Springs	30.00	5.00	35.30	Choctaw Association					
								Lantrip				Ackerman	1500.00	1581.63	3081.63		
								Loyd	50.00	50.00	100.00	Bethlehem	16.00	5.00	21.00		
								Macedonia	117.39	79.85	197.24	Bethany	45.80	7.00	52.80		
								Midway	6.25	61.00	67.25	Beulah					
								Mt. Comfort				Bluff Sprgs.	5.40	5.40			
								Mt. Moriah				Blythe Creek	223.16	168.27	391.43		
								Mt. Tabor				Chester		3.75	3.75		
								New Hope	75.61	97.78	173.39	Clear Sprgs.	8.00				
								New Liberty	16.05	10.00	26.05	Concord	281.77	392.21	673.98		
								New				Covenant	71.51	42.00	113.51		
								Providence	15.50		15.50	Crepe Creek		</td			

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557.80	32.72	410.52	98.00	Pine Grove	37.62	96.25	133.87	Summer- land	660.48	185.50	845.98	Meehan Meridian	43.00	43.00
504.93		150.52		Shady				Tuckers				8th Ave	998.79	274.67
367.39		150.52		Grove	379.19	174.82	554.01	Crossing	13.00	37.49	50.49	15th		1273.46
297.12		150.52		Stringer	146.56	50.00	196.56	Wildwood	400.00	127.30	527.30	Ave	12955.90	3309.57
369.34		150.52		Silver City	229.60	3.00	232.60	Total	28775.61	16651.88	45427.49	41st Ave	4383.61	785.73
135.14		150.52		Total	5374.33	8887.40	14261.73	Kemper Association				East- view	974.41	199.01
335.14		150.52		Itawamba				Bay Sprgs.	51.00		51.00	First	16678.66	13177.16
335.14		150.52		Assn.	64.56			Black				Grandview		29855.82
335.14		150.52		Antioch	3.00			Water	157.58	209.22	366.80	Chapel	81.00	35.55
335.14		150.52		Bethany				Bluff Sprgs.						186.55
335.14		150.52		Oakland	16.55	15.25	31.80	Center						
335.14		150.52		Evergreen	11.72	34.00	45.72	Fairview	25.00					
335.14		150.52		Carson	280.94	407.50	729.44	Dublin	100.00	188.19	107.79	Ridge	5.35	113.14
335.14		150.52		Fairview	25.00			Ebenezer	264.60	45.42	310.02	Corinth	25.00	23.00
335.14		150.52		Liberty				Hathorn	413.31	109.39	522.70	Decalb	213.72	204.29
335.14		150.52		Grove	5.00			Hepzibah	208.35	37.75	246.10	Friendship	40.00	40.00
335.14		150.52		Mt. Pisgah				Oak Grove	43.20	67.80	111.00	Liberty	43.24	20.00
335.14		150.52		New Bethel	16.00			Old H'bron	444.39	95.25	539.64	Salem	225.00	47.50
335.14		150.52		Pleasant Grove				Phalti	750.06	742.39	1492.46	Scooaa	469.47	327.18
335.14		150.52		Poplar Springs				Prentiss	3868.90	3131.65	7000.55	Stonewall	12.50	12.50
335.14		150.52		Providence	3.00			Society				Union	17.71	80.00
335.14		150.52		Salem	24.60			Hill	516.03	223.00	739.03	Union Hill	6.00	6.00
335.14		150.52		Shiloh	45.00	25.00		Victory	110.00	10.55	120.55	Wahalak	42.67	10.00
335.14		150.52		Fulton				White				West	52.77	
335.14		150.52		Trinity	148.52	134.95	283.47	Sand	1400	522.26	1922.26	Kemper	70.00	100.00
335.14		150.52		Walker				Total	9588.49	5795.91	15384.40	Total	1490.68	1003.64
335.14		150.52		Total	362.95	209.20	572.15	Jones Assoc.	130.58	130.58	1494.32	Lafayette Assoc.	3.10	3.10
335.14		150.52		Jackson Assn.				Bethel	7.62	4.16	11.78	Abbeville	99.77	107.75
335.14		150.52		Belf'taine	443.72	144.50	588.22	Bethlehem	535.19	79.23	614.42	Anchor	164.44	125.78
335.14		150.52		Eastside	50.00	79.48	129.48	Calvary	89.40	12.55	101.95	Bay Sprgs.	40.00	14.15
335.14		150.52		Emmanuel	45.00	88.90	133.90	Centerville	10.00		10.00	Bethel		
335.14		150.52		Escatawpa	742.41	205.18	947.59	County				Clear Creek	350.00	538.50
335.14		150.52		Friendship	647.53	36.60	684.13	Line	97.82	51.86	149.68	De Lay	12.00	50.00
335.14		150.52		Ft. Bayou	92.56	36.00	128.56	East View	612.03	317.20	929.23	Harmon-		
335.14		150.52		Hurley	485.54	133.02	618.56	Ellisville	1587.97	622.94	2210.91	town	113.92	67.47
335.14		150.52		Gautier	984.35	388.97	1373.32	Ellisville				London Hill	25.00	181.39
335.14		150.52		Jackson				West	421.14	71.90	493.04	Matthews	44.03	24.20
335.14		150.52		Ave.	219.23			Emmanuel	14.55	19.86	34.41	Elbethel	30.00	30.00
335.14		150.52		Kreole	758.50	307.58	1066.08	Fairfield	148.95	43.45	192.40	New		
335.14		150.52		Magnolia	15.00	5.00	20.00	Fellowship	11.31	7.50	18.81	New Hope	3.00	2.00
335.14		150.52		Meadow				Freedom	205.64	60.89	266.53	New	5.00	5.00
335.14		150.52		View	29.77	7.10	36.87	Friendship		31.85	31.85	Prospect	160.00	264.71
335.14		150.52		Moss Point				Gitano	44.41	3.00	47.41	Old Union	45.59	24.55
335.14		150.52		East	2146.45	960.37	3106.82	Glade	489.57	251.50	741.07	Oxford		
335.14		150.52		First	4350.00	1974.14	6324.14	Harmony	575.00	130.07	705.07	First	4049.83	1675.36
335.14		150.52		Ocean				Hebron	225.00	49.01	274.01	North	745.92	436.10
335.14		150.52		Springs	675.00	712.90	1387.90	Hillerest	75.07	41.60	116.67	Paris	10.00	10.00
335.14		150.52		Pascagoula				Indian				Philadelphia	66.88	150.95
335.14		150.52		Calvary	1302.68	370.00	1672.68	Sprgs.	520.02	117.50	637.52	Shiloh	43.25	41.50
335.14		150.52		E'Lawn	1243.61	480.10	1723.71	Joe Wheeler	90.00	57.00	147.00	Taylor	10.00	27.97
335.14		150.52		First	11377.95	4909.19	16287.14	Laurel				Tula	10.00	10.00
335.14		150.52		McArthur Chapel Mission								Hebron	1147.32	653.56
335.14		150.52		Orange Grove Mission								New Hope	256.07	51.68
335.14		150.52		Red Creek								New Zion	72.08	307.75
335.14		150.52		Union	50.00	50.00	100.00							
335.14		150.52		Riverside	1194.36	338.81	1583.17							
335.14		150.52		Unity	52.45	74.81	127.26							
335.14		150.52		Van Cleave	448.55	139.35	587.90							
335.14		150.52		Wade	59.00	12.21</								

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ence	68.76	68.76	Planters-ville	814.80	358.98	1173.78	Wellman	316.78	97.50	414.28	Total	7882.96	2804.71	10687.67
New Zion	185.47	37.11	Pleasant Hill	25.00	67.00	92.00	Total	29147.20	7159.04	36306.24	Mississippi Assn.	98.00	98.00	
Pearl Hill		222.58	Pleasant Valley				Lowndes Assoc.	150.00	150.00		Amite River	25.00	25.00	
Pleasant		5.00	Priceville	61.15	23.00	84.15	Antioch	80.00	121.20	201.20	Berwick	866.70	222.98	1089.68
Hill	62.50	28.00	Richmond	108.85	50.00	158.85	Artesia		37.50	37.50	Bethel	318.18	165.57	483.75
Remus	12.00		Saltillo	650.61	275.30	925.91	Bethel	203.55	48.90	252.45	Calvary	27.00	82.00	109.00
Renfroe			Shannon	365.42	124.75	490.17	Border				Centerville	1219.75	646.54	1866.29
Rocky			Sherman	1435.51	721.72	2157.23	Sprgs.	202.11	139.65	341.76	Crosby	1089.08	228.22	1317.30
Point	90.00	30.00	Temple Grove				Calvary	617.94	315.68	933.62	East Fork	580.93	352.75	933.68
Salem	45.78	91.16	Tupelo-Cal.	14147.59	5544.63	19692.22	Columbus				Ebenezer	46.50	46.49	92.99
Springfield		136.94	East	248.30	146.62	394.92	Central		166.40	166.40	Enterprise	109.71	39.47	149.18
Standing			First	4263.05	941.20	5204.25	East				Galilee	1377.50	1315.29	2692.79
			Harris				End	1406.45	839.93	2246.38	Gillsburg	549.97	616.56	1166.53
							First	25470.09	12664.50	38134.69	Glading	151.93	26.88	158.86
							South				Hebron	25.00	32.00	57.00
Sunrise	18.20		burg	7665.14	744.74	8409.88	side	257.32	92.01	349.33	Hux	5.00		5.00
Thomas			Parkway	905.97	186.27	1092.24	Fairview	218.01			Liberty	3635.74	1408.76	5044.50
town	115.00	48.75	Second	13.00	15.00	28.00	Kolola	Sprgs.			Mars Hill	1249.26	710.11	1959.37
Tuscola	50.00	196.54	Union	25.00	17.60	42.60	Mayhew	77.05			Mt. Olive		28.00	
Union Ridge			Union Hill or				McBee				Mt. Plea'nt	125.15		
Walnut			Limestone	14.95			Mt. Carmel				Mt. Vernon	355.88	179.82	
Grove	767.60	301.16	Verona	65.00	217.00	282.00	Mt. Vernon	290.00	54.31	344.31	New Zion	60.81	76.08	136.89
Wiggins			Total	31720.68	10179.47	41900.15	Mt. Zion	147.69	316.62	464.31	Oak Grove	210.20	23.10	233.30
Total	7199.70	3422.36	Leflore Assoc.		18.00	18.00	New Salem	518.43	66.00	584.43	Pioneer	150.00	163.65	313.65
Lebanon Assoc.	16.00	16.00	Greenwood				Pleasant Hill		20.50	20.50	Robinson	278.34	79.15	357.49
Big Level	91.23	15.00	Calvary	2895.87	398.36	3294.23	Plymouth	240.47	57.30	297.77	Rosetta			
Brooklyn	590.69	116.00	First	8706.46	2860.92	11567.38	Total	29729.11	15103.50	44832.61	Union	38.94		
Calvary	757.88	6.00	Half Mile				Madison' Assoc.				Woodville	640.00	833.39	1473.39
Carterville		32.27	Itta Bena	3190.33	1022.00	4212.33	Camden	14.50	19.25	33.75	Zion Hill	256.10	100.00	356.10
Corinth	100.00		Lowland		100.00		Canton-Center				Total	13392.72	7454.81	20847.53
Dixie	1560.00	630.45	Minter City		12.92	12.92	Terrace	1723.76	262.43	1986.19	Monroe Assn.	26.50	26.50	
Eastbtuchie	80.00	31.51	Morgan				First	9006.12	3535.42	12541.54	Aberdeen			
Glendale	1381.91	512.47	City	300.00	195.00	495.00	Damascus				First	3730.23	1719.60	5449.83
Good Hope		25.00	Mt. Vernon		12.65	12.65	Farmhaven				Amory	3257.57	1080.74	4338.31
Greens			Phillipston	90.00	23.53	113.53	Flora	500.00	385.00	885.00	Antioch			
Creek	89.61	50.10	Riverside	303.10	292.50	595.60	Franklin	35.00			Athens	31.07	31.07	
Hattiesburg			Schlater	250.00	551.00	801.00	Good Hope	10.00	11.00	21.00	Becker	48.00	48.00	
19th Ave	223.73	188.95	Total	15981.07	5585.38	21566.45	Lone Pine	35.00	16.90	51.90	Bigbee	77.90	18.70	96.60
28th Ave	468.87	64.15	Lincoln Assoc.				Lula	60.00	46.00	106.00	Calvary	70.80	22.50	93.30
38th Ave	763.49	296.26	Arlington	290.86	100.21	391.07	Ridgeland	275.68	90.11	365.79	Cason			
Bouie St.	155.00	70.82	Bethel	319.80	55.75	375.55	Total	11760.06	4706.94	16467.00	Center Hill	47.10	17.00	64.10
Central	339.95	143.37	Big Sprgs.	67.29		67.29	Marion Assn.		24.50	24.50	Grove	57.75	57.00	114.75
First	9732.85	6628.48	Bogue				Antioch				Greenwood Springs			
Imma-			Chitto	350.00	88.95	438.95	Bunker				Gregory			
nuel	1823.39	1555.67	Brookhaven				Hill	2578.42	409.72	2988.14	Chapel	24.50		
Irene			Central	446.50	108.00	554.50	Calvary	814.83	96.14	910.97	Liberty			
Chapel	353.94	46.35	First	16307.80	2935.07	19242.87	Cedar				New			
Lakeview	256.60	87.00	Calvary	33.74	58.30	92.04	Grove	431.23	71.07	502.30	Prospect	19.00	134.57	153.57
Main	10806.31	6166.68	Clear Branch		100.40	100.40	Clear Creek	174.36	163.00	337.36	Prairie	70.00	10.00	80.00
River			Fair River	1094.56	113.68	1208.24	Columbia				Quincy			
Ave.	40.00	39.00	Friendship	996.80	182.07	1178.87	East	958.92	293.56	1252.48	Smithville	370.74	73.58	444.32
South-			Gum Grove	298.78	55.82	354.60	First	10976.48	3323.24	14299.72	Splunge	50.00		
side	120.00	128.07	Halbert				North	180.99	169.93	350.92	Total	7775.59	3253.26	11028.85
Tempie	5650.00	2563.11	Hights.	109.60	30.00	139.60	Edna	287.33	62.53	349.86	Montgomery Assn.			
Lumber-			Hamilton				Foxworth	1000.00	294.70	1294.70	Bethel	25.00	91.60	116.60
ton	2309.69	1662.71	St.	1047.74	55.00	1102.74	Goss	315.43	418.61	734.04	Bethsada	146.32	73.66	219.98
Macedonia	9.50	125.97	Harmony											

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57	1089.68	Stewart 84.62 91.25 175.87										
00	483.75	Union 4.38 4.38										
54	109.00	Unity 12.00 45.00 57.00										
22	1866.29	Winona First 4032.08 1807.02 5839.10										
75	1317.30	Winona Tabernacle										
49	933.68	Total 5699.87 3516.73 9216.60										
47	92.99	Neshoba Assn. 37.50 37.50										
29	149.18	Springs 25.90 25.90										
56	2692.79	Union First 2250.00 2749.60 4999.60										
56	1166.53	Total 9820.01 5705.67 15325.68										
38	158.86	Noxubee Assn. 3.00 3.00 6.00										
00	57.00	Brooksville 390.00 257.40 647.40										
6	5044.50	Calvary 8.33 8.33										
1	1959.37	Concord 50.00 176.50 226.50										
0	28.00	Deerbrook 45.00 45.35 90.35										
2	125.15	Elon 20.00 45.25 65.25										
8	535.70	Immanuel Elim-Mashula-ville 54.00 53.75 107.75										
0	136.89	Laurel Hill 53.78 29.16 82.94										
5	233.30	Linwood 14.00 14.00										
5	313.65	Gholson Macon First 1011.40 1121.80 2133.20										
38	357.49	Ruhama Shuqulak 300.00 239.66 539.66										
9	38.94	Vernon Total 1887.73 1942.71 3830.41										
1	1473.39	Oktibbeha Co. 68.00 68.00										
0	356.10	Adaton 100.00 69.85 169.85										
1	20847.53	Bethesda 194.61 111.98 306.59										
0	26.50	Calvary 40.50 40.50										
1	5449.83	Center First 1125.00 1421.49 2546.49										
0	4338.31	Grove Poplarville First 1125.00 1421.49 2546.49										
31.07	Pearl Valley 28.70	West Union 139.86 144.79 284.65										
48.00	Philadelphia	Hollow 30.00 30.00										
96.60	Beac'n St. 200.00	Union 853.31 523.85 1377.16										
93.30	East 400.25	West Union 139.86 144.79 284.65										
64.10	First 9080.43	Horton Memorial 21.19 21.19										
114.75	Sardis 160.00	Poplarville Horton Memorial 21.19										
24.50	Spring Creek 32.35	West Union 139.86 144.79 284.65										
14.00	Total 11134.24	Hollow 30.00 30.00										
80.00	New Choctaw Assn. 1.18	Union 853.31 523.85 1377.16										
44.32	Bethany 26.32	West Union 139.86 144.79 284.65										
50.00	Bogue Chitto 7.00	Horton Memorial 21.19										
11028.85	Bogue Homa 7.55	Memorial 21.19										
116.60	Calvary 5.00	Memorial 71.30 18.00 89.30										
219.93	Canaan 30.98	Springville 5.00 5.00										
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Total	4546.39	1366.71	5913.10	Cooperville	90.56	50.98	141.54	Strong River		Cascilla	91.19	14.66	105.85		
Rankin Assoc.		5.00	5.00	Ephesus	15.00	15.00	15.00	Weathersby	25.00	Charleston	4104.04	2604.02	6708.06		
Antioch	755.97	142.75	898.72	Forest	2264.94	2940.65	5205.59	Total	9274.56	2996.84	12271.40	Corinth	64.32	5.92	70.24
Barefoot				Groverton				Smith Assn.		Cowart	151.64	85.14	236.78		
Sprgs.	52.40	4.00	56.10	Harperville	842.19	258.96	1101.15	Beaver Dam		Friendship					
Bethel	265.65	52.01	317.66	Hillsboro	120.00	80.59	200.59	Bethel	60.13	No. 1	3.00		3.00		
Brandon	1400.00	631.93	2031.93	Homewood		10.00	10.00	Beulah-Polk-		Friendship					
Briar Hill	1159.10	573.66	1732.76	Lake	383.06	246.77	629.83	ville	501.80	No. 2	106.45	17.00*	123.45		
Gato	637.43	225.35	862.78	Liberty	295.17	223.00	518.17	Burns	83.70	16.70	Mt. Pisgah	50.00	22.00	72.00	
Clear				Line Creek				Center Hill	12.00	New Life	6.00				
Branch	400.00	84.56	484.56	Ludlow-Jerusa				Clear Creek	7.50	Paul	50.00	35.00	85.00		
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Dry Creek	37.48	88.14	125.62	New Good Hope		21.90	21.90	Water	100.00	Hill	300.00	100.00			
East Side	532.88	54.20	587.08	New Zion				Harmony	8.24	Tippe	750.00	498.71	1248.71		
Eureka				New Home		20.33	20.33	High Hill	10.00	18.00	18.00	36.00			
Faith	22.21	25.00	47.21	Oak Grove	100.00	93.24	193.24	Leaf River	9.00	Tutwiler	1401.85	1295.07	2696.92		
Fannin		16.00	16.00	Pleasant Ridge				Liberty	30.00	Webb	2527.53	1100.80	3628.33		
Flowood	518.00	101.15	619.15	Pulaski	81.60	45.72	127.32	Lorena	62.50	Total	9857.55	5935.07	15792.62		
Galilee	50.00			Ridge	90.89	117.10	207.99	Mt. Carmel	26.00	Tate Assn.	15.00	15.00			
Hickory				Salem	146.15			Mt. Pleas'nt	35.00	Arkabutla	236.03	185.73	421.76		
Ridge	270.04	97.37	367.41	Sand Ridge	18.55	11.75	30.30	Mt. Zion	5.93	Ebenezer	7.09				
Johns				Sardis	75.00	60.00	135.00	New Home	7.70	Evansville	141.02	114.07	255.09		
Leesburg	576.96	71.57	648.53	Springfield	450.00	486.54	936.54	New Sardis	80.18	Flag Lake	25.87	25.87			
Liberty	215.84	59.35	275.19	Steele				Taylor	18.18	Hickory Grove	47.15	47.15			
Mt. Creek	90.37	304.75	395.12	Two Mile	3.00	14.00	17.00	Oak Grove	163.33	Pleas'nt Hill	12.00	94.00	194.00		
Mt. Pisgah	417.06	297.11	714.17	Union	59.88	40.00	99.88	Rocky Hill	31.05	Raleigh	1225.00	395.52	1620.52		
Oakdale	551.61	152.02	703.63	Total	8119.26	7356.14	15475.40	Rose Hill	20.00	39.50	Mt. Manna	40.53			
Paul Truitt				Sharkey-Issaquena Assn.				Salem	15.00	31.05	Mt. Zion	388.60	187.83	576.43	
Mem.	943.46	188.96	1132.42	Anguilla	325.00	605.10	930.10	Sardis-Polkville		New Hope	71.20	45.50	116.70		
Pearl	599.94	113.40	713.34	Cary	150.00	53.55	203.55	Shady Grove	75.00	Salem	140.00	20.00	160.00		
Pearson	429.24	34.40	463.64	Catchings	105.00	32.25	137.25	Sharon	32.32	Strayhorn	36.57	47.00	83.57		
Pelahat-				Issaquena	102.00	24.57	126.57	Sylvarena	146.50	Tyro	140.65	65.65	206.30		
chie	1262.40	543.25	1805.65	Mayersville	165.48	34.25	199.73	Taylor	92.80	Wyatte	70.50	92.80	163.30		
Puckett	307.00	280.10	587.10	Rolling				Taylorsville	931.87	Total	4051.83	1859.97	5911.80		
Rehobeth	147.68	53.42	201.10	Fork	1600.00	1008.43	2608.43	Tipton	475.00	Tippah Assn.	17.00	17.00			
Richland	733.28	89.30	822.58	Spanish				Ted	3.37	Union	68.77	9.37	78.14		
Rock Bluff	155.00	30.00	185.00	Fort	41.56	22.20	63.76	White Oak	50.00	Chalybeate	164.26	383.22	547.48		
Rock Hill	226.42	104.10	330.52	Straight				Wilkinson Memo	196.64	Community	26.70	26.70	53.40		
Star	150.00	232.05	382.05	Bayou	60.00	12.04	72.04	Zion	174.20	Concord	49.35				
Stoons				Tallula		3.00	3.00	Total	3854.78	Dumas	49.35				
Creek	1275.00	998.28	2273.28	Valley Park	80.00	61.85	141.85	Sunflower Assn.	6.00	Elbethel	16.00				
Thornhill				Total	2629.04	1857.24	4486.28	Bethany	29.10	Falkner	16.00				
Union	300.00	23.70	323.70	Simpson				Blaine	28.71	Fellowship	53.50	22.00	75.50		
Value	94.85	77.67	172.52	Assn.	25.00			Mt. Pisgah	57.81	Harmony	26.00	30.20	56.20		
Total	15664.60	5834.46	21499.06	Antioch	64.50	59.08	123.58	Calvary Mission		Hunters Chapel					
Riverside Assoc.				Athens	251.14			Dockery	18.60	Lebanon	42.48				
Belen	164.61	158.25	322.86	Bethlehem	283.05	139.04	422.09	Doddsville	60.00	Lowrey	42.48				
Berea		16.00	16.00	Beulah	133.51	44.80	178.31	Drew	840.75	Macedonia					
Birdie	7.25	8.75	16.00	Braxton	365.16	264.67	629.83	Fairview	4022.18	Mt. Hebron	13.00				
Clarksdale	5101.68	3557.70	8659.38	Calvary				Holy	139.10	Mt. Moriah	110.86				
Clear Creek				Campbells				Grove	599.44	Mt. Olive	110.86				
Mission				Creek	28.28			First	4789.04	Oakland	4.03				
Crowder	450.00	624.13	1074.13	Coat	33.18	33.18		Indianola	999.00	Palmer	145.10	103.70	248.80		
Darling	387.08	162.66	549.74	Corinth	25.00			Second	32.02	Peoples					
Dundee	15.00	122.50	137.50	D'Lo	21.00	123.00		Inverness	571.84	Pine Grove	46.22	50.62	96.84		
Fairhaven	8.70	10.00	18.70	Dry Creek	18.37			Linn	368.05	Pleasant Hill					
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Elect Brotherhood Officers

Brotherhood officers are church officers. They are never to be named without provision for election and/or approval by the church. The Brotherhood, like the Sunday School and the Training Union, must be completely subservient to the will and authority of the church.

Church control of the Brotherhood through the election of its officers is the only way in which the Brotherhood should be allowed to exist in the church. To have it otherwise would place the church in a position where it could not control the work of the organization, a thing that is inconceivable in Baptist policy.

How best accomplish this relationship? The answer is simple enough. It begins with the normal election procedure of your church.

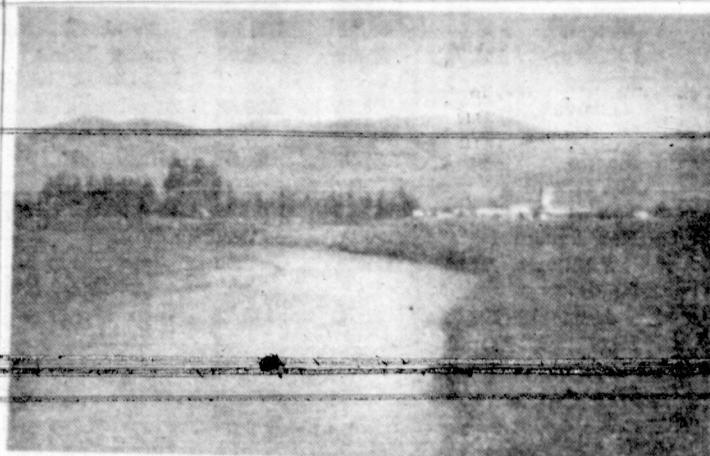
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The Brotherhood should subordinate its election procedure to that of the church. Whatever the church plan for election of its organizational leadership is automatically the plan to be followed by the Brotherhood.

Brotherhood officers should be chosen as carefully and prayerfully as Sunday school officers and Training Union officers and leaders. Pastor and/or Educational Director should have opportunity to counsel as closely with current Brotherhood leaders as they do with other organizational leadership concerning future leaders.

Two plans are at the present time most widely used by Southern Baptist churches.

CHURCH NOMINATING COMMITTEE. A nominating committee is named by the church each year to bring to the church in business session a list of nominees for all church officers and for all officers and leaders of the organizations within the church. This plan usually finds the nominating committee consulting with leaders of each organization for suggestions as to which persons within the church are best qualified, understand the work of that organization, and are willing and able to give the time necessary to properly fill the offices in the organization. With such information from the officers of the Brotherhood in hand, the nominating committee



Shown above is the Jordan River with Mt. Hermon in the distance. It was somewhere near this place that Jesus was immersed.

If you should feel the urge to do something personally for me, spend more time in praying daily. —Anne Dyer, missionary to Gaza.

tee of the church will be able to make the most appropriate nominations to the church for officers of the Brotherhood. Before presenting any names, the committee should contact each man personally and make certain that he is willing to serve. This plan of electing the officers places the responsibility of both nominating and electing the Brotherhood officers directly in the hands of the church.

Among recent visitors in the Baptist Building were: Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Trott, Toomsuba; Rev. James Arden Sadler, Jr., Benton; Rev. H. E. Inman, Benton; Dr. Rebecca Pate, Auburn, Ala.; Miss Rose Ellen Goodrich, Atlanta, Ga.; Glover and Art Housman, Thibodaux, La.; Mrs. R. G. Ling and Suzanne Ling, Atlanta, Ga.; Rev. Joe Galle and Jodie Galle.

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Mt. Zion, Church, Wayne County, had 21 additions, 18 on profession of faith, in a revival which closed July 29. Rev. James L. King of Eupora was the evangelist and Rev. Carlis G. Berry is the pastor.

50, 40 and 25 Years Ago

By J. L. BOYD Sr.

50 Years Ago

The Record editor says "There are 105,000 white Baptists in Mississippi, belonging to 1291 churches, and cooperating in 55 associations for educational and missionary purposes." He also states that Mt. Zion, Wayne (of Clinton Church) has nine teachers and about 100 scholars in the Sunday school.

40 Years Ago

Editor P. I. Lipsey assisted Pastor L. Bracy Campbell in the revival meeting of the Chunky Church, resulting in 13 accessions, 11 for baptism. Brother Campbell was student in Clarke Memorial College.

Prof. P. Lipsey Jr. goes to Amarillo, Texas, to assume the duties of the chair of Latin in the Amarillo Military Academy.

25 Years Ago

Pastor Howard Spell was assisted by Rev. J. S. Riser in a meeting at the Pocahontas Church which resulted in five additions to the church, three of them for baptism.

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**STATE MISSIONS**

PREPARATION DAY: (September 12) is designed to set our hearts in tune with the theme for the week—PRAYER. The prayer folders to be distributed on that day are intended to be a reminder of a call to prayer for the week. They carry prayer promises—a prayer list and these practical suggestions:

1. Select a "prayer partner" for the week.
2. Agree on a definite hour prayer each day this week. (September 12-19)
3. Be together each day for prayer, if convenient.
4. Communicate with each other daily by telephone if impossible to meet together.
5. Read the prayer promises daily, also the poem on the front cover.
6. Pray daily for items listed on the inside page, adding others.

The two days of programs for September 19-20 have these themes:

"When Thou Prayest"
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**SB Press Director Almost Gets Jailed**

Albert McClellan, who had written about Spain's tight restrictions on Baptists while covering the Baptist World Congress for the Baptist Press, almost had occasion for a first-person account on the subject.

A few hours before he was to fly from Madrid, Spain, to New York, he visited the poor settlement in Madrid. While taking a picture of a woman selling water, he was seized from behind by two policemen.

The police didn't speak English; McClellan spoke no Spanish. His United States passport didn't impress them. McClellan had visions of the plane flying with him behind in a Spanish jail, but after a while the police talked away angrily.

What did the Baptist Press director do? "Why I grabbed the first taxi and left there!" he exclaimed.



Rev. James Arden Sadler, Jr., was licensed to preach by the Ogden Church, Yazoo Association, July 10. He plans to enter Mississippi College in September. Rev. H. E. Inman is the pastor.

Bethel Church Has Youth Week

Bethel Church of Pearl River County, observed Youth Week during the first week in August. The Young People and Intermediates took charge of all services of the church during the week. Miss Ellen Hall brought the devotional at the mid-week Prayer Meeting.

Young Pastors: J. S. Jackson; Youth Preacher, Wesley Ellis; Pianist, Ellen Hall; S. S. Superintendent, Duane Humphrey; Supt. of Young People and Intermediate Dept., Geri Wheat; Supt. of Junior Dept., Ricky Buras; Supt. of Primary Dept., Huey Lene Amacker; Supt. of Beginner Dept., Nancy Slade; Training Union Director, Sally McNeese; Brotherhood President, Robert Ross Amacker; W.M.U. President, Emelda McNeese.

Rev. J. B. Carpenter is pastor of the church.

FATHER AND MOTHER ESTABLISH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR SON

JACK C. RICHARDSON

Chaplain and Mrs. James C. Richardson of Thomasville, Georgia have established a Memorial Scholarship for their son by placing \$1,100.00 with the Baptist Foundation. This fund is invested by the Foundation and each year the income will be paid to a ministerial student at Clarke College in the sophomore Class.

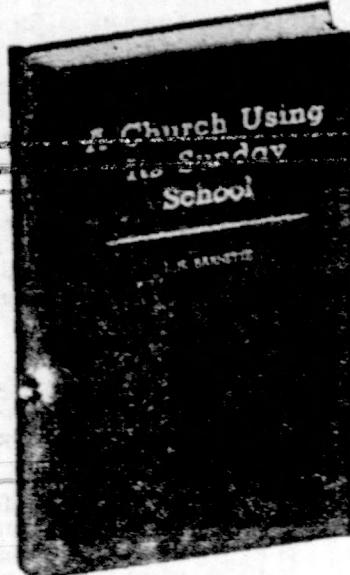
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At the beginning of every new year there are many new officers and teachers in the Sunday school. They need help in the matter of what they are to do in these new places of service.

Therefore, there should be an emphasis on the administrative side of the work at the beginning of the year. This can be done both from the angle of the department books and also from that of the general administration point.

The book, "A Church Using Its Sunday School," is a good one for all the workers to study. It is helpful in giving to all the people a good view of the Sunday school as a whole, which we all need.

So, a study of this good book will help your school be a better one. Try it.

OBSERVE PREPARATION WEEK

September 18-25, 1955

The church that plans ahead leads the way. What is your church planning to accomplish next year? One pastor, together with his church leaders, determined last year that their church would baptize at least one hundred people. With two months to go in this associational year, they have baptized more than one hundred people. Throughout the entire year this major concern of evangelism has moved the people to increase the Sunday School enrollment, improve the Bible-teaching ministry, step up the visitation program, and multiply personal soul-winning work—and God has richly blessed every effort. It will be the same in your church with regard to every objective that you definitely put into your program of work.

Next year the Sunday school program is built around the scriptural injunction in Deuteronomy 31:12, "Gather the people . . . men . . . women . . .

children," with the aim "Every Family in Sunday School" and the theme "Bible Study for Every Member of the Family." The impact of this program can make itself felt in every church in our Convention if thorough preparation is made for it during Preparation Week, September 18-25. Begin now making necessary plans to strengthen your ministry to adults, particularly to reach more adult men next year. Expand your ministry to the young people of your community, making ample provisions for married young people and for single young people in departments and classes. Go after the babies in the community in a concerted drive, by greatly expanding the Cradle Roll ministry and making adequate provisions in the Nurseries for these babies. Make specific plans for one or more branch schools to expand further the ministry of your Bible teaching program. Launch these plans during Preparation Week.

The book, *A Church Using Its Sunday School*, is suggested as a basis for the training of your Sunday School workers during Preparation Week. Work into your discussion the goals and suggested plans that you will find in the planning booklet, "Every Family in Sunday School."

The great spiritual tragedy of the day is that the people are scattered. God commands us to gather the people. When Jesus saw the multitudes that were scattered as sheep without a shepherd, he was moved with compassion. Such a compassion in our hearts today will move our churches to take the practical steps necessary to gather the people and then teach them and win them.

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Rev. E. D. Estes, pastor of the First Church, d'Iberville, reports an error in the church name in the list of W. M. U. figures that were published on page 9 of the August 4 issue. He says that the name is First Church, d'Iberville and not d'Iberville.

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Among recent visitors in the Baptist Building were: Eva Davis, Joyce Harvey, Carolyn Bourn, Joe Harvey, Calvin Cawis, Dennie Thurman, Christa Ann Thurman, Fannie Lee Atwood, Nell Thurman, Charles Stamps, Cecil Ward, Gloria Jean Bourne, Kenneth Ward, Donald Bourn, Peggy Thurman, May Stamps, Jimmy Harvey, Paul Daniels, all of Atlanta.

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

Church	Enr.	M.O.
Mission (Montgomery)	20	5.00
Arkadelphia (Lauderdale)	129	34.11
Easley Memorial (Panola)	37	7.67
Terry (Hinds)	108	16.27
Shady Grove (George)	101	12.80
First Sunday (Pike)	403	91.15
Dry Creek (Winston)	64	27.65
Hopewell (Yalobusha)	78	8.05
Pinola (Simpson)	46	7.83
Centerfield (Belvoir)	71	6.18
Ripley Mission (Tippah)	56	
Ripley, First (Tippah)	173	23.12
Brooklyn (Lebanon)	112	12.32
Taylorsville (Smith)	165	21.61
Corinth (Leake)	65	18.09
Eastside (Jackson)	123	13.13
Lantrip (Calhoun)	27	2.01
Loyd (Calhoun)	15	3.90
New Bethel (Neshoba)	86	23.17
Rocky Springs (Yazoo)	25	
Banner (Calhoun)	60	13.64
Wayside (Yalobusha)	41	8.77
Center Hill (Smith)	39	8.38
Carmel (Lawrence)	63	10.50
Second Ave., Laurel (Jones)	246	37.49
New Jerusalem (Carroll)	26	5.00
Anchor Baptist (Lafayette)	62	8.54
Eight Ave. (Lauderdale)	109	10.05
Clear Creek (Lafayette)	76	25.89
Sabougla (Calhoun)	36	7.09
Darling (Riverside)	87	8.70
Clear Creek Mission (Riverside)	64	12.60
Bear Creek (Attala)	64	12.89
Wyatte (Tate)	50	6.00
Alexander Memorial (Washington)	159	12.81
Harmony (Carroll)	12	
Calvary (Lee)	245	54.44
Buccatuna Mission (Clarke)	73	13.49
Mt. Pisgah (Choctaw)	47	1.00

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Elraine, Jackson To Celebrate Two Anniversaries

Homecoming Day at Elraine Church, Jackson, on August 28 is in honor of two occasions: the celebration of Pastor R. R. Newman's eighth anniversary as pastor and the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the church.

Thomas Chaney, Superintendent of Missions, Hinds County, is the special speaker for the morning service.

Rev. George C. Breland, who is in charge of the special music for the day, will direct an evangelistic song service in the afternoon.

The history and progress of the church will be presented, after which charter members of the church and all former members of the church are to be recognized.

Lunch will be served at the church.

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Chester Durham, BSU Secretary for Kentucky. Most heartily we welcome Miss Polley to Mississippi and to our Student Work.



Pictured above is Miss Faye Wilkes who, for the latter part of last school year, was BSU Director for Blue Mountain College.

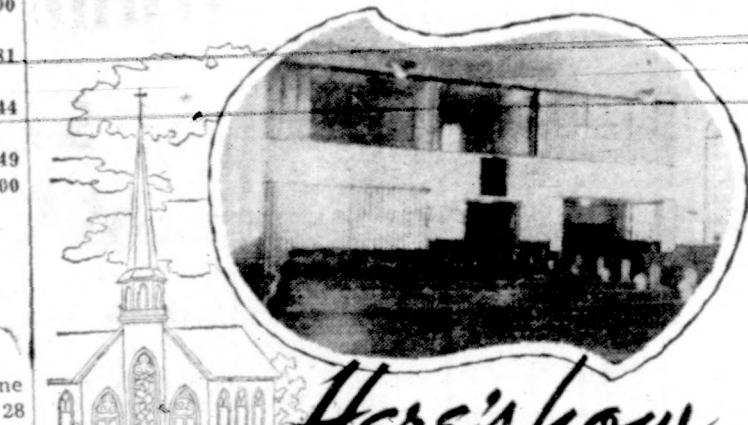
Because of health reasons, Miss Wilkes has resigned her position. We want to thank her.

through this medium as we have in other ways, for the very wonderful work she did at Blue Mountain, and wish her God's best blessings for the future.

Succeeding Miss Wilkes on September 1st will be Miss Imogene Polley, of Hodgenville, Ky., a graduate of Georgetown College, a recent graduate of Carver School of Missions, and formerly Associate to Mr. J.

In addition, the Local BSU Directors, Faculty Advisors, Pastors and students who were present made many lasting contributions to the life and work of each one present.

Once again, the importance and urgency of students' spiritual needs were impressed upon us. We believe all of us who attended are better fitted to serve Christ in the task which God has given to each of us.



Here's how
 to adjust your church to
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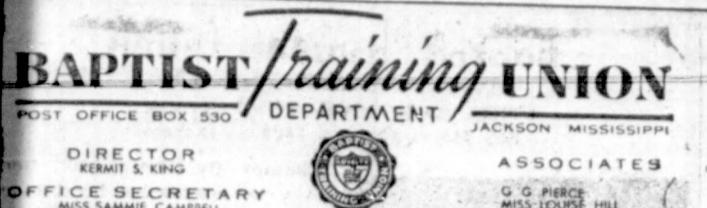
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SUMMARY OF STANDARD WORK			Lincoln	Brookhaven	First	1
Association	Church	Units	Lowndes	Colombus		
Alcorn	East		Marion	Bunker Hill	First	3
Calhoun	Corinth	1	Mississippi	East Fork	2	
	Calhoun		Neshoba	Coldwater	1	
	City, 1st	5	Newton	Newton		
Covington	Vardaman	1	Pike	First	11	
Greene	Salem	1		East		
Gulf Coast	McLain	1		McComb	9	
	Gulfport,		Rankin	Briar Hill	1	
	First	4	Riverside	Walnut	1	
Hinds	Alta Woods	9	Tallahatchie	Tutwiler	3	
	Broadmoor	2		Charleston	1	
	Calvary	2	Union Co.	Myrtle	3	
	Clinton	1	Walton	Tylertown	2	
	Jackson		Warren	Vicksburg		
	First	4		First	1	
	Griffith			Bowmar		
	Memorial	7		Ave.	1	
	Hillcrest	4	Zion	Trinity	3	
	Parkway	28		Clarkson	3	
Jasper	Edon	3	Twenty-six associations had thirty-eight churches reporting standard units of organization for the year 1954-1955. Three churches reported standard Training Unions: Parkway, Carthage, and 1st, Newton.			
Jones	Freedom	5				
Lauderdale	15th Ave.	5				
Leake	Carthage	4				
Lebanon	Main St.	6				
	Hattiesburg,					
	First	1				
Lee	Calvary,					
	Tupelo	3				

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Shown above are Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Pierce at a Moslem Mosque in Damascus. Note the large sandals on their feet. These are required before you can enter the Mosque. Note the black robe on Mrs. Pierce. All women are furnished and required to wear these robes in the Mosque.

CALENDAR OF PRAYER 1

August 29 — New class of student nurses, Baptist Hospital; W. C. Morgan, State Music Department, Baptist Building.

August 30 — W. M. S. Camp, Garaywa; Jodie Coward, Madison Associational Brotherhood president.

August 31 — Ben Long, Kemper Associational Training Union Director; Mrs. J. E. Gooch, Lowndes Associational W. M. U. Superintendent.

September 1 — Sam Dees, Panola Associational Music Director; Charles Kirkfield, Southwest Jr. College BSU president.

September 2 — George Q. Edens, Pontotoc County Convention Board member; B. C. Rogers, Morton, Mississippi College trustee.

September 3 — Zachery Hedges, Jackson; Baptist Hospital trustee; J. D. Aycock, Gulfport, William Carey College trustee.

September 4 — BSU Join-the-Church Sunday

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Associations Meet

Listed below are the dates and meeting places of the associations. Desoto County leads off on September 1 at New Prospect. Perry closes the season at Beaumont on October 28.

A few are not listed because repeated requests for places and dates have brought no reply.

SEPTEMBER

1—Desoto at New Prospect
5—Benton at New Central
6—Grenada at Grenada (FBC)
6—Lafayette at Taylor
7—Lafayette at Delay
14—Calhoun at Pittsboro
14—Marshall at Holly Springs (n)
15—Calhoun at Sabougla
15—Marshall at Cornersville
15—Panola at Sardis (n)
16—Panola at Good Hope
20—Jasper at Fair Ridge (n)
20—Tippah at Falkner (d-n)
21—Jasper at Fair Ridge
21—Tippah at Falkner
21—Zion at Tomnolen
22—Zion at Dorroh's Lake
22—Alcorn at Shiloh
23—Alcorn at Holly
30—New Choctaw at Canaan

OCTOBER

1—New Choctaw at Canaan
2—New Choctaw at Canaan
4—Tishomingo at Iuka
4—Prentiss at Wheeler
4—Clarke at Quitman (FBC) (n)
5—Tishomingo at Iuka
5—Clarke at Quitman (FBC)
6—Sunflower at Bethel (n)
6—Oktibbeha at Longview
6—Monroe at Central Grove
6—Neshoba at Bond
6—Winston at Oak Grove
6—Yalobusha at Sylva Rena
7—Chickasaw at Arbor Grove
7—Mississippi at Gillsburg
7—Neshoba at Pearl Valley
7—Oktibbeha at Starkville (Calvary)
7—Pearl River at Corinth
7—Sunflower at Moorhead
7—Winston at Liberty
8—Chickasaw at Bethel
10—Lamar at Military (n)
10—Jackson at Pascagoula (Calvary) (n)
10—Smith at Beulah (n)
10—Humphreys at Louise (n)
10—Newton at Hickory (n)
10—Sharkey-Issaquena at Spanish Fort
10—Washington at Leland (n)
11—Lebanon at Petal Harvey
11—Smith at Beulah
11—Lamar at Military
11—Union at Riverside
11—Jackson at Pascagoula (Calvary)
11—Union County at Myrtle
11—Humphreys at Isola (n)
11—Bolivar at Merigold
11—Choctaw at Hopewell
11—Clay at Hebron
11—Lee at Shannon
11—Sharkey-Issaquena at Catchings
11—Washington at Greenville (Calvary) (n)

12—Leake at Carthage
12—Choctaw at Bethany
12—Union County at Harmony
12—Washington at Arcola
13—Attala at Ethel (n)
13—Leake at Lena
13—Itawamba at Poplar Springs
13—Lauderdale at Carmel (n)
13—Tate at Wyatte
13—Franklin at Roxie
13—Riverside at Marks
13—George at Agricola
13—Pontotoc at Hurricane
13—Holmes at Oregon
13—Marion at Bunker Hill
14—Attala at Peper
14—Pontotoc at Zion
14—Franklin at Roxie
14—Lauderdale at Carmel
14—Tallahatchie at Spring Hill
14—George at Agricola
14—Kemper at Corinth
17—Walhall at Mesa
17—Simpson at Pine Grove (n)
17—Montgomery at Stewart (n)
17—Gulf Coast at Long Beach (n)
17—Madison at Flora (n)
17—Hinds at Jackson (Emmanuel) (n)
17—Jones at Ellisville (FBC) (n)
17—Leflore at Mt. Vernon
18—Gulf Coast at Long Beach (n)
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18—Leflore at Sidon
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18—Montgomery at Kilmichael
18—Noxubee at Macon (n)
18—Simpson at Pine Grove
18—Walhall at Mesa
19—Greene at Washington Church, Neely (n)
19—Leflore at Greenwood (Calvary)
19—Carroll at New Salem (n)
19—Gulf Coast at Long Beach (n)
19—Lawrence at Antioch
19—Noxubee at Macon
19—Yazoo at Concord
20—Greene at Washington
20—Carroll at McCarley
20—Copiah at Hazlehurst (n)
20—Covington at Salem
20—Lincoln at Mt. Moriah
20—Pike at Silver Springs (n)
20—Wayne at Chapparal
20—Yazoo at Concord
21—Copiah at Bethel
21—Covington at Salem
21—Jeff-Davis at Prentiss
21—Lincoln at Mt. Moriah
21—Pike at Oyska
21—Wayne at Chapparal
24—Scott at Morton (n)
24—Warren at Harmony (n)
25—Lowndes at Columbus (Southside)
25—Rankin at Brandon
25—Scott at Clifton Forest (d-n)
25—Warren at Vicksburg (Immanuel) (n)
26—Lowndes at Bethel
26—Warren at Vicksburg (FBC) (n)
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Over 10,000 Attend Ridgecrest Training Union Conferences

RIDGECREST, AUGUST 13—The 1955 Training Union conferences ended on the note, "The high cost of sin is too great to pay" as Howard E. Butt, vice-president of H. E. Butt grocery chain, Corpus Christi, Texas, brought the closing message.

Over 10,000 people attended the three weeks of conferences,

Third week: Judy Wray, Tennessee, first place and Maryland's Terry Manning took second place.

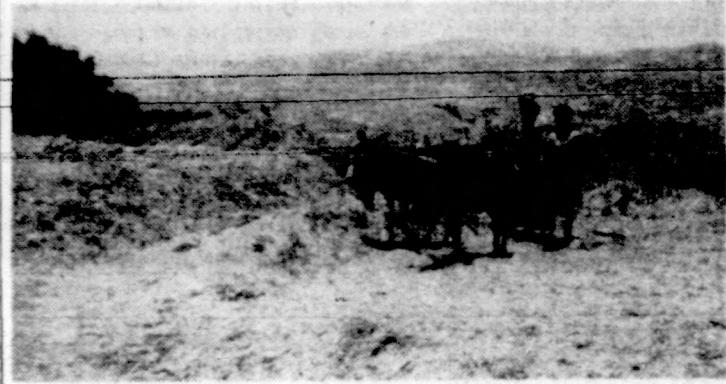
Speakers' Tournament winners were:

First week: George Perry, native North Carolinian who represented Tennessee, in first place; and Alabama's Jon Apleton.

Second week: Betty Jo McLellan, Mississippi; and Beatriz Melano, Argentine student now attending school in and representing Georgia, runner-up.

Third week: Arkansas' Bernice McCurry took first-place and Brad Motsinger, Missouri, captured second-place.

During the second and third weeks the Young People and Intermediates raised over \$1,000 toward the purchase of assembly ground property in Austria for European Baptist.



Shown above is the ancient method of threshing wheat used in Jordan. The donkeys are driven over it and then a pitch fork is used to throw it in the air for the chafe to blow away.

Bethlehem Dedicates Educational Unit

Bethlehem Church of Jones County had a dedication service last Sunday during the morning worship hour for its new educational building recently completed.

A special program was planned with the Rev. C. J. Rushing, Associational Missionary, bringing the dedicatory sermon. The sermon was very inspiring and appropriate as he closed with the laws of Sunday School growth as discovered by Southern Baptists.

After the sermon in the auditorium, the people assembled in the educational building where the Building Committee

was introduced. This committee was composed of Dewey Warren, chairman; Jim Richards, Eric Clark, Tommy Bryan, E. L. Loper, and Julius Strickland. The Scripture and Dedicatory Prayer were given by Leonard Melvin, Jr.

The brick-veneer structure provides 26 class rooms, 4 assembly rooms plus a Beginners department, an R.A. room and pastor's study. It measures 82' x 55' and has a floor space of 8,400 square feet.

Because of free labor donated

51 Decisions In Carroll-Montgomery Revival Aug. 7

A youth-led revival was held for Carroll-Montgomery counties the week of August 7-14 at the Winona Armory. Rev. Gordon Sather, superintendent

of missions for the two counties, writes that 51 decisions were made. Eight of these were professions of faith, 16 gave themselves for full-time Christian service and 27 others re-dedicated their lives.

Rev. Joe Mansfield and Miss Libby Wiltshire served as co-chairmen of the revival.

The preachers were Rev. Julius Thompson, Polkville pastor and New Orleans Seminary student, and Rev. Jimmie Smith, Mississippi College senior and pastor at Coila. Other team members were Miss Gay Holcomb, organist, and Miss Molie Bettis, counselor.

by the members, the building which is valued at \$42,000 was constructed at a cost of \$14,189.26. Other items donated in the building and not included in this figures cost approximately \$2100.

Rev. Warren H. Rush is the pastor.

Roy Raddin Accepts Anguilla Pastorate

Rev. Roy D. Raddin

Rev. Roy D. Raddin has resigned as pastor of the Willow Grove Church of Covington County and has accepted the call the Anguilla Church effective Sept. 5. He has been pastor of the Willow Grove Church for two years.

During his ministry the Willow Grove Church has begun a full-time program and built a pastor's home which is almost completely debt free.

Mr. Raddin is a native of Hattiesburg. He received his B.A. degree from Mississippi College and his B.D. degree from the New Orleans Seminary. His wife is the former Myra Corley of Jackson.

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Rev. W. C. Gunn of Corinth led in a revival at Thrasher Church in Prentiss County the week of July 31. There were six additions to the church. The pastor, Rev. W. D. Ross directed the music. Mr. Ross also led the Tuscumbia Church, of which he is pastor, in a revival meeting the week of July 18.

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Rev. Max Dorr of Sardis will lead the singing for the revival at the Derma Church August 21-26. He is a Senior at Mississippi College.

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The Darlove Church, Washington County, will observe Homecoming Day in the celebration of their seventeenth anniversary on August 28. Rev. Robert E. Baker is the pastor.

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Among recent visitors in the Baptist Building were: Mrs. Dwight Young and Brenda Gayle, Ft. Worth; Rev. and Mrs. Smith and Allie Smith, Brookhaven.